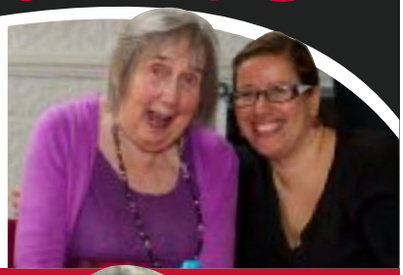
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RoboShop

Trials start for robot shopping trolleys

ROYAL borough leaders got a glimpse into the future when a stunning self-driving robot rolled into town last week.

Council leader Denise Hyland spoke at the launch event in Greenwich for the UK roadshow of the automated delivery carts last Thursday (March 10) which was part of the celebrations to mark the first 1,000 miles covered by the robots.

The six-wheeled revelation was unveiled to mark the launch of the UK roadshow that will see the robots operating right here in Royal Greenwich – and local people could soon be seeing them on the streets, helping with everything from delivering their shopping to getting their laundry to the dry cleaners.

The very first customer in the world to receive a delivery by the robot will be in Thamesmead next month. A partnership between the council and developers Starship Technologies will see the robots trialled over a six-month period – with the royal borough the first location in the world outside Estonia, where the company's founders are based, to experience the revolutionary delivery system.

First launched in November 2015, the robot is designed for local delivery of goods and groceries for consumers for under £1 per shipment. The robots use pavements like pedestrians, travelling at slow speeds and with zero emissions. The public introduction programme aims to demonstrate how easily the friendly curb-side robots can integrate into human life.

This is all part of the council's Smart City strategy – which involves the royal borough developing innovative ways of

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Solutions for social isolation

WE are all aware that social isolation for the elderly in this borough can be a serious problem yet with the cuts to some services used by the over 55s are we adding to isolation? Adult education, lunch clubs and podiatry - all ways of 'getting out and about' also beneficial for physical and mental stimulation. I urge the council to ask the over 55 residents of this borough to suggest ideas, venues, etc to try and eradicate social isolation in the borough.

Mary Simpson
Greenwich Pensioners Forum

● A council spokesperson said: 'The Royal Borough is keen to meet and share ideas with people and has established a Social Isolation Group to help reduce social isolation in the borough. We recently hosted a very successful workshop attended by a large number of community groups and residents, including members of the Pensioners Forum. The ideas for reducing social isolation that were generated from this event will be published in an action plan by the end of March. We're keen to keep residents, including the Pensioners Forum, involved over the next year and will hold another workshop in early 2017. We welcome hearing about any ideas for addressing this very important issue.
You can contribute your ideas and request a copy of the social isolation action plan by emailing socialisolation@gavs.biz

Neighbours park in our bays

PLEASE can you help the tenants of Mauritius Road. We have parking permits but are unable to use since the new estate opened on the Alcatel site. The tenants there cannot afford to use their parking bays so use ours. Also contractors working on the estate use our street Monday to Saturday and take turns in moving their vans and cars during the week to avoid paying parking permits.

Our quality of life is affected because you are wary of going out because you will lose parking space. My suggestion is to cancel the two-hour free parking and make our road and Azof Street seven day permits as some parts of Greenwich already have.
I have sent emails to the council, which says someone will contact you - nobody has.

John Ryan, Greenwich

● A council spokesperson said: "The volume of development work taking place is causing parking problems in a number of places. We are aware of the situation and will be reviewing parking arrangements in the area as part of our on-going parking zone review programme and will be consulting with residents and businesses so we can improve the situation."

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MARK BAYNES: "A double rainbow over Charlton"

ROYAL BOROUGH MEETINGS

THE following meetings take place at the Town Hall, Wellington Street, unless stated otherwise.

March 17 - Overview & Scrutiny, 7pm, committee room 4; Licensing review sub committee, 6.30pm.

March 22 - Woolwich and Thamesmead area planning committee, 6.30pm, committee rooms 4&5, Eltham local housing panel, 7pm, St Mary's Community Centre, 180 Eltham High Street

March 23 - Cabinet, 6pm, council chamber; Special meeting council, 6.30pm, Victoria Hall, Town Hall.

March 29 - Overview & Scrutiny call in sub committee, 5.30pm, committee room 6

March 30 - Council 7pm, council chamber

March 31 - Licensing Sub-Committee B, 5.30pm

April 5 - Planning Board, 6.30 pm, committee rooms 4 & 5,

April 5 - Children & Young People Scrutiny Panel, 7pm, committee room 6.

Long Walk Local Housing Panel, 7- 9pm, Town Hall, Wellington Street, Woolwich

More information on 020 8921 5130 or at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings

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AT THE WHEEL: council leader Denise Hyland and Cllr Danny Thorpe congratulate the first vehicle fleet managers to sign up to the scheme

Star drivers

Scheme launched to tackle vehicle air pollution

LORRY, truck and van drivers are working with the royal borough to drive forward a new scheme to tackle air pollution on local roads.

The council has launched the new green scheme to help commercial fleet operators reduce vehicle emissions and ensure their vehicles are environmentally friendly.

The ECO Stars fleet recognition scheme was launched at the council's Birchmere distribution centre last week (March 9) and is the council's latest move to improve local air quality.

The scheme encourages and supports operators of HGVs, vans, buses and coaches to run their fleets more efficiently. As part of the scheme, ECO Stars fleet experts assess each fleet and award a star rating based on current performance. They then produce a 'roadmap' of recommendations which will help operators to reduce vehicle emissions and operating costs.

Companies which use royal borough roads can join the scheme for free and the first to sign up included the council's own fleet operators, parcel delivery firm DHL and the University of Greenwich.

Representatives attended the scheme launch where they were presented with certificates recognising their initial star ratings by Cllr Danny Thorpe, the borough's cabinet member for regeneration and transport.

He said: "The launch of the ECO Stars scheme in Greenwich marks a new chapter for both us and our partners in working to improve the borough's air quality. I am looking forward to seeing how we take our Road Maps forward and all aim for a 5 star rating so that we can run cleaner, safer and greener fleets."

The ECO Stars Fleet Recognition Scheme was originally set up in South Yorkshire, in 2009, when local councils wanted to tackle local air quality issues caused by transport. There are now 21 schemes in the UK and several in Europe. So far, individual schemes have more than 400 members with over 45,000 vehicles.

Ann Beddoes, ECO Stars scheme manager, from Barnsley Metropolitan Borough Council, said: "I am delighted that Royal Borough of Greenwich have joined the ECO Stars Fleet Recognition and wish them every success in their drive to reduce air pollution."

Shopping trolley trials

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delivering services in a smarter and quicker way, creating new opportunities for business and local communities. Starship Technologies has also set up its UK base at the Digital Greenwich Innovation Centre and plans to base its maintenance facility in the borough.

Cllr Hyland said: "This technology has the potential to transform the local delivery of goods and groceries. The trial complements the work being undertaken by the council on smart city innovation – work that we believe will be significant for all cities in the future."

Ahti Heinla, CEO of Starship Technologies, and co-founder of Skype, said: "Our robots are a totally new class of devices that will provide a combination of low cost and convenience with less congested streets and zero emissions.

"The robot has been in development for almost two years, and we've experienced unprecedented levels of interest and goodwill – so it's great to now be taking the first step to rolling our little robot out for real. The robot has been very well-received by pedestrians in all of the interactions we've seen so far, so it's very exciting to be officially introducing the robot to the public."



TROLLEY TECHIES: Starship Technology reps present the automated cart to royal borough council leaders

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The breakfast club

Guests enjoy a Fairtrade start to the day

COMMUNITY and business reps started the day off with a healthy hearty Fairtrade breakfast last Tuesday (March 8).

There was plenty of Fairtrade food on offer for the special breakfast at Woolwich Town Hall as part of Fairtrade Fortnight.

Hosted by the mayor, Cllr Norman Adams, and deputy council leader Cllr John Fahy, guests included representatives from businesses, community organisations, London Fire Brigade and the Army.

It followed an earlier event when 200 schoolchildren were invited to the Town Hall to sample Fairtrade food and find out about the campaign.

Royal Greenwich was awarded Fairtrade Borough status in 2006 for its commitment to the movement, which aims to ensure farmers are paid a fair price for their produce.

Cllr Fahy said: "A growing number of local businesses are now stocking Fairtrade goods with the variety and sheer number of products increasing on an almost daily basis."

Cllr Adams added: "The breakfast was an ideal opportunity for all of us to make a tangible contribution to the wellbeing of those less fortunate around the world."

The theme of this year's Fairtrade Fortnight, which ran from February 29 to March 13, was: Sit down for breakfast, stand up for farmers!

● **For more information about the Fairtrade movement visit www.fairtrade.org.uk**



SUMPTUOUS SPREAD: above, guests tuck into hot and cold Fairtrade treats hosted by the mayor Cllr Norman Adams and deputy mayor Olu Babatola



In low spirits

More join campaign against strong alcohol sales

MORE businesses have signed up to the council's 'Reduce the Strength' campaign', which aims to cut down on problem drinking by encouraging off-licences to take cheap, high-strength lager and cider off the shelves.

Since the scheme started in 2013, more than 70 local off-licences across the borough have committed not to sell beer, lager or cider that is more than 6.5 per cent proof.

Most alcohol sellers in Woolwich town centre have joined the scheme, and new ones in Plumstead, Abbey Wood, Woolwich Riverside and Glyndon have also joined in the last year.

The police and council licensing officers are specifically targeting streets and roads that have a reputation for alcohol-related crime, antisocial behaviour and homelessness.

Business owners taking part in the scheme have seen a sharp fall in alcohol-related crime. Cllr Jackie Smith, the council's cabinet member for community safety and environment, welcomed the surge in new businesses joining the campaign. She said: "It is very encouraging to see the council and local businesses working so closely together to stop the very serious issue of alcohol abuse. The Reduce the Strength campaign delivers on so many fronts, including reducing antisocial behaviour, tackling street drinking, limiting the availability cheap, high-strength lagers and ciders and also helping those struggling to with alcohol abuse to seek help through a range of drug and alcohol treatment services."

The campaign is part of a three-pronged approach to tackling alcohol abuse in the borough. This involves working with local businesses to reduce the availability of high-strength drinks, working alongside Greenwich Drug and Alcohol Treatment services to ensure that people receive specialist treatment and support for their addictions, and working with Public Health, the NHS and other partners to educate people on the dangers of heavy alcohol consumption.

● **For information on useful organisations which can help with alcohol problems visit www.communitydirectory.org.uk**



KEEP IT LIGHT Cllr Jackie Smith meets trader Jay Patel who was one of the first to sign up to the campaign, left, he wdisplays a sticker in his Woolwich shop

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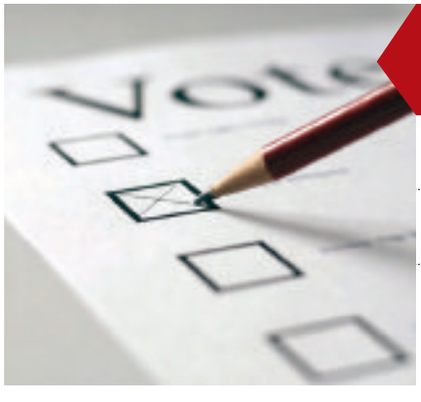
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Information centre for Eltham town upgrade

A DROP-IN centre has been opened where residents can find details about the improvements being carried out in Eltham Town Centre over the coming months.

As well as project drawings, a provisional programme schedule will show when each section of construction is due to take place.

The scheme aims to give the town centre a more natural, modern looking high street with wide pavements, better street lighting and easier parking.

The information centre is at 38 Well Hall Road, Eltham, and will be open Monday to Friday, 10am-2pm until the works are substantially completed.

● Information about the improvement work can also be found at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk and search Eltham regeneration.

Women mean business

WOMEN running their own businesses or planning a start-up had the chance to network and get advice at an event marking International Women's Day.

Organised by Greenwich Local Labour & Business (GLLaB) and the council last Tuesday, March 8, the morning included seminars and workshops.

Among those taking part were representatives from the Mumtrepreneur Club, training and recruitment provider Middleton May, and business support agency South East Enterprise.

● **Information about the different organisations can be found on their websites at: www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/GLLaB, www.mumtrepreneurclub.co.uk, www.middletonmurray.com and www.seenterprise.co.uk**



IN GOOD COMPANY: delegates gather for an end of session photo in the town hall, inset, they listen to a presentation

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We appreciate your patience during this busy time of year.

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Nominate buildings for council's ease-of-entry survey

THE annual audit of council and other public buildings in the borough to assess their accessibility for people with disabilities is due to begin shortly.

Between 20 and 100 new buildings are assessed each year with the organisation DisabledGo, as part of the council's work to encourage increased accessibility for disabled residents and visitors. Royal Greenwich already has about 1,200 buildings on the site.

Saturday, March 12 was the second national Disabled Access Day, which highlights how difficult it can be for many people in the community to go about their lives because of the problems of accessing buildings and services.

The Cutty Sark organised tours of the tea clipper using British Sign Language (BSL) on Saturday as part of the day's events.

The council is continuing to improve access to its sports and leisure facilities and residents can now get in touch using online sign language interpreting service, SignVideo. Just press the button on the website and connect to a BSL interpreter through a webcam – go to www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/SignVideo.

"People with disabilities often face isolation and it can be difficult to find out whether places are accessible"



Cllr David Gardner, cabinet member for health, social care & public health, said: "We know that people with disabilities often face isolation and it can be very difficult to find out whether places are accessible. We hope the guide compiled with DisabledGo will be useful to our residents as well as the people who visit, study and work in the borough."

● **Each year DisabledGo carries out an audit of buildings requested by the council and a list is currently being drawn up. Residents are invited to suggest premises to check but it is worth visiting the guide at www.disabledgo.com/organisations/royal-borough-of-greenwich to make sure they have not already been assessed.**

● **To suggest a building email Robert.bridgewater@royalgreenwich.gov.uk by March 18**

Huge investment in council housing

THE council has agreed a multi-million pound investment programme as the latest step in a package of measures to tackle the housing shortage.

The £41m programme includes updating and modernising its own stock of housing over the next year, and supporting low income families who rent in the private sector.

The Barnfield Estate in Plumstead, the Well Hall tower block in Well Hall Road, Eltham, and homes in John Wilson Street, Woolwich, will get improvements to bring them up to modern standards as part of the housing capital programme agreed over the next year.

The council also recently adopted the new Greenwich Homes Standard which gives a comprehensive 'whole house approach' to refurbishing and improvement work. It aims to minimise disruption while carrying out maintenance work on the external and communal areas such as roofs, insulation, heating and windows.

Planned improvement work also involves tackling damp through insulation, improved ventilation and energy-saving systems to help families reduce the costs of heating and lighting their homes. The programme also includes renewing lifts, structural and electrical work and replacing heating systems.

"Tackling homelessness is one of the biggest challenges facing councils across the country"

At the same time, the council will work with landlords to ensure health and safety requirements are met – particularly when it comes to fire safety. The council already runs its own landlords support scheme which targets rogue landlords and it has been awarded cash from a £5 million government pot to take on irresponsible landlords who force tenants to live in squalid and dangerous properties.

Cllr Chris Kirby, the council's cabinet member for housing, said: "'Tackling homelessness is one of the biggest challenges facing councils across the country and with severe cuts to local government funding, we have to find more cost-effective ways to find a lasting solution to homelessness. We are building more social housing and working closely with teams across the council to provide early intervention and targeted support for those most in need."

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Council action to prevent people 'sleeping rough'

THE council is the first local authority in the country to achieve the 'gold standard' when it comes to tackling and preventing people sleeping rough.

It has prevented hundreds of households from becoming homeless by giving them support, and has cut the number of households in temporary accommodation by near two-thirds. It has also put a limit on the time families have to share accommodation to less than six weeks.

Cllr Chris Kirby, the council's cabinet member for housing, said: "Unfortunately, in spite of the best efforts of councils across the capital, homelessness is on the increase in London. Here in Greenwich, we will continue to put our energy and resources into preventing people having to sleep rough. Our commitment has local people at its heart and is all part of our aim is to ensure that everyone has a decent place to call their home."

Rogue landlords watch out

ROGUE landlords in the borough are on borrowed time.

The council has been awarded the sixth highest share of a £5 million government grant to tackle irresponsible landlords.

The funding means the council can carry out more raids, increase property inspections, issue a greater number of statutory notices, survey more streets and demolish sheds and prohibited buildings. It will also help the council to root out more 'beds in sheds' – where buildings are often rented to vulnerable people and migrants by landlords who charge extortionate rents to live in cramped conditions.

It is all part of the council's work to protect residents in private accommodation. Cllr Jackie Smith, the council's cabinet member for community safety and environment, said: "The vast majority of landlords act responsibly and within the law. However, we will always act to protect residents by taking strong action against the small number who act exploitatively and force their tenants to live in overcrowded and squalid accommodation. This funding will help the council in further ensuring that private tenants are protected from any unscrupulous behaviour they might encounter when renting a home."

CRACKING DOWN ON ROGUE LANDLORDS

● If you are concerned that a private property in Royal Greenwich is overcrowded or operating illegally, you can contact the council on 020 8921 8157 or email residentialservices@royalgreenwich.gov.uk

NHS Greenwich Clinical Commissioning Group

NHS Greenwich Clinical Commissioning Group

Members of the public are invited to attend a meeting in public of the Governing Body.

Wednesday, 23 March 2016

1:30 - 2:15pm – Presentation and Public Questions

2:15 pm - Meeting in public

The Gallery, Woolwich Centre, Wellington Street, Woolwich SE18 6ND

In addition the CCG holds meetings in public of its Primary Care Joint Committee. These take place on different dates.

Please visit the Commissioning Group's website at http://www.greenwichccg.nhs.uk/Pages/default.aspx or contact Colin Nash, Corporate Secretary on 020 3049 9059 for details of either committee

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WINGFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL
MOOREHEAD WAY, KIDBROOKE, SE3 9XU

Headteacher

Dates: Apply by 18th March 2016 to start in September 2016
Salary: L18 – L24
Location: Greenwich
Contract type: Full Time
Contract term: Permanent

We are looking for an ambitious and highly motivated Headteacher to join our rapidly improving and as a result, expanding school; a recent inspection acknowledged the remarkable and ongoing transformation of the school. This is an incredibly exciting time to be joining Wingfield Primary School as in summer 2017 we will be moving into a brand new school which is being built next to our current site. We have recently joined the Compass Partnership of schools, and in particular, we are working in partnership with South Rise Primary School which OfSTED graded as a GOOD school that has improved rapidly over the past three years as a result of OUTSTANDING LEADERSHIP and has received recognition as being one of the top 20 schools in the country for progress.

The Governors are looking to appoint a highly motivated, committed and suitably experienced Headteacher who:

- has a record of proven success in school leadership and management, such as a Headteacher or as an Acting-Headteacher whilst a Deputy Headteacher;
- has significant and sustained experience in the implementation of strategies to raise achievement;
- is an excellent classroom practitioner with high expectations of children's achievement and behaviour, as well as a sound understanding of the Primary curriculum;
- has experience of whole school budget management;
- has the ability to inspire and motivate others and to deepen and develop the strengths and caring ethos of the school;
- will build on the school's successes and will have a strategic role in moving the school forward;
- has a commitment to teamwork and working in partnership with parents/carers and the wider community.

We can offer:

- A committed staff who value teamwork and learning from each other;
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- A creative cross curricular approach to enriching the curriculum;
- A spacious, modern learning environment;
- A very supportive Governing Body.
- Huge benefits in being part of an innovative and research focused group of schools

Closing date for applications 5pm on Friday 18th March 2016
Interviews: week commencing 21st March 2016

Please contact Sophie Powell, Executive Headteacher of The South Rise and Wingfield Partnership of Schools on **exechead@southrise.greenwich.sch.uk** if you would like to talk about the position.

Arrangements to visit the school and requests for an application pack can be made via Ann Graham on **sao1@wingfield.greenwich.sch.uk**

Wingfield Primary School is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS disclosure will be requested for the successful candidate in accordance with Safeguarding Children and Safer Recruitment in Education legislation.

Postal Address:

Wingfield Primary School,
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ROYAL borough of GREENWICH



NO BUTTS: Cllr David Gardner joins stop smoking advisers to help passers by on the roadshow

by Dan Stephens

LOCAL people across the royal borough are quitting smoking their way – and the huge range of support available through the Greenwich Stop Smoking Service means there has never been a better time to give up for good.

Run by the council and the Charlton Athletic community Trust (CACT), a Stop Smoking Service roadshow is currently touring venues across the borough. In the weeks since it began, almost 200 people have signed up to receive support to stop smoking after a one-to-one meeting.

The roadshow runs until March 19 and offers tailored help in quitting - even for people that have tried to stop before. Trained advisors are on hand to offer practical support every step of the way, including lung age tests, carbon monoxide readings and lots of useful advice. They can suggest a plan to stop smoking suited to each person – from drop-in centres to stop smoking medications and e-cigarettes.

One resident who has benefited from the roadshow is Helen Clancy, 29, from New Eltham, who started smoking when she was 14 years old.

She told GT: "I was walking out of a supermarket and a guy in a CACT jacket asked if I was a smoker. I told him I was

QEH is a smoke-free zone

PATIENTS, staff and visitors are no longer allowed to smoke at Queen Elizabeth Hospital in Woolwich, either inside or outside the building.

Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust, which runs the hospital, took the decision to go smoke-free from last Wednesday, March 9.

It means that smoking cigarettes, pipes or cigars is no longer allowed at any of its hospitals or community sites.

Trust chief executive Tim Higginson said the decision had been made to protect and improve the health and wellbeing of all patients, visitors and staff.

"Our role is to care for people at their most vulnerable and our environment should support this. By not allowing smoking on our property we are helping to protect people from the harmful effects of smoking,"he said.

Cllr David Gardner, cabinet member for health, social care and public health, said Greenwich Council fully supported the move.

"Smoking remains an important public health issue for us, and our campaigns in Greenwich have had considerable success in helping reduce the level of smoking in the borough," he said.

"We encourage any smoker – whether they are a hospital patient or a visitor – who wants to use this as an opportunity to quit, to contact our stop smoking service for free advice and support."

● You can contact the Greenwich Stop Smoking Service on 0800 587 5833, text QUIT to 60060, email support@greenwichstopsmoking.org.uk or visit www.greenwichstopsmoking.org.uk

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and he then asked if I'd thought about giving up. I admitted I had occasionally thought about it, so we went to a room where we could sit down and talk more about how I could start. They took a CO reading – which measures the carbon monoxide in your lungs – and it was quite high. It immediately made me not want to smoke anymore."

Helen was given nicotine patches to manage her cravings. She quit soon after her first meeting and has now been smoke-free for four weeks.

She continued: "I feel like a completely different person. I go back to Eltham once a week to collect more patches and Mark, the person I first met on the high street, has been there every time for a chat.

"He's really easy to talk to so I feel I can be honest with him. I'd been suffering with cravings over the past few days so he gave me some nicotine gum, which he said might help. I joined a gym a couple of weeks ago and have been going regularly. I thought that now I'd started to get healthier I thought I'd put the money I was saving towards something useful.

"I really can't thank the guys enough. I'd probably still be smoking if I hadn't met Mark that day. He gave me just the push I needed. I'd definitely recommend the service."

Cllr David Gardner, the council's cabinet member for health, social care and public health, said: "Greenwich's public health campaign to reduce smoking in the borough has been remarkably successful. Having had one of the worst smoking rates, the borough now has a prevalence well below the national average.

"We now want to continue to help support the small minority that still smoke to give up. You're four times more likely to quit with support, so our friendly advisors will be on hand to help you choose your best way to stop smoking."

● For more information and dates and locations of the roadshow, please visit www.greenwichstopsmoking.org.uk

Shopkeeper fined for illegal cigarette sales

A SHOPKEEPER who admitted selling illicit tobacco and spirits has been fined £1,900 by Bexley magistrates.

Sher Thapa told the court he had bought the goods from a man in a white van but admitted that he should have made more stringent checks before stocking them at his All Save store in Lakedale Road, Plumstead.

Excise duty should have been paid on the alcohol, and the court heard that the store had come to the attention of the council's trading standards team on previous occasions for evading duty on bottles of spirits and for selling counterfeit cigarettes.

Officers from trading standards and from Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs (HMRC) visited the store with a detection dog on July 6 last year and found quantities of tobacco.

Several packets of cigarettes later failed self-extinguishing tests and others were found to be counterfeit.

The court ordered that the seized goods should be forfeited and Mr Thapa's personal licence was suspended for 12 weeks, preventing him from selling alcohol during that time.

Cllr Jackie Smith, cabinet member for community safety & environment said: "There is a clear link between the availability of illegal tobacco and high smoking rates. We are working very hard to ensure that such products are removed from sale and that the shopkeepers are firmly reprimanded."

She added: "All forms of tobacco pose a health risk but illegal tobacco which fails the self-extinguishing test can also be a serious fire risk. Those retailers stocking such products are endangering residents and we will continue our efforts to clamp down on such sales."





ILLEGAL: examples of the seized cigarettes

● Anyone who suspects the illegal sale of tobacco or alcohol can call the council's trading standards team on 020 8921 8223, email tradingstandards@royalgreenwich.gov.uk or report it on the Keep It Out website at www.keep-it-out.co.uk

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Credit to the credit union



BANKING ON YOU: the Mayor and Mayoress with staff and directors at the credit union's Thomas Street HQ

THE mayor of Greenwich met the team at Greenwich & Bexley Credit Union HQ in Woolwich.

Cllr Norman Adams, joined by the Mayoress Serena Lovelace, learned about the work of the credit union and how it meets the financial needs of Greenwich residents.

He also congratulated directors and staff after a recent audit revealed how the GBCU had among the best growth and financial results of the country's credit unions.

"The hard working staff are a tribute to this borough's largest co-operative organisation. Saving and borrowing with your local credit union ensures that local money stays in the local community, benefiting local residents," Cllr Adams said. Greenwich & Bexley Credit Union, based in Thomas Street, Woolwich, has more than 7,000 members and looks after over £6.5 million of local savings.

● More information at www.gbcreditunion.com or call 020 8855 4344.

Award for uni's student midwife

GREENWICH University undergraduate Heidi Stone won the British Journal of Midwifery Student Midwife of the Year Award last month. The mother-of-two is currently completing her clinical practice at Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust, and was nominated following her work designing a series of posters in support of the Royal College of Midwives' national Campaign for Normal Birth. Heidi said: "I am thrilled. I never expected to win. It's a massive achievement and I can't wait to start my career in the profession I love. Greenwich is a wonderful university and I'm privileged to have studied there – the lecturers are first class and are always there to support and guide you. My mentors in the community and hospital are amazing too."

Play time in toy town



YOUNGSTERS donned their romper suits for a special play date with Cllr Miranda Williams, the council's cabinet member for children's services.

Cllr Williams called into the Greenwich Toy Library to learn about the service and to meet families who use it. The day included chats with parents and time to join the young toy library users in some fun and games. Present were more than 21 children with a disability or special education needs who regularly use the service which is due to move base from Newhaven Gardens in Eltham to Abbey Wood.

The toy library is part of a range of services available to children with disabilities and special needs – and to families with young children.

Activities for children with special needs and disabilities have been expanded over recent months in consultation with parents.

The royal borough's online database, the Local Offer is full of advice for parents and carers of children and young people with special educational needs or disabilities. It also provides information, advice and guidance on a range of topics, and lists services that may be useful.

Cllr Williams said: "I was really pleased to meet parents and children who use the Greenwich Toy Library. It is part of a range of services run by the council supporting children and young people with special needs and disabilities, as well as their parents and carers.

THINKING OUT OF THE TOY BOX: Cllr Miranda Williams enjoys chat and play with families at Greenwich toy library

"We are committed to providing extensive support and have recently expanded services in the royal borough. I encourage anyone who thinks they might benefit from this support to look at the Local Offer and learn about their options."

● **For further information about the Local Offer, visit www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/localoffer**



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Postcards pitch wins school a new library

ONE of the borough's 'outstanding' schools is now even better after winning a £20,000 World Book Day Award for its library.

Eltham Hill School was announced the outstanding winner of the award on World Book Day (March 3).

Half the prize money is to spend on books with the other half going on library furniture.

Amy Lloyd, learning resource centre leader at the school, said winning the award would transform how the school, rated outstanding by Ofsted, perceived its library.

"Reading is central to everything we do, but these new resources will really bring a new energy to reading. Winning the World Book Day Award highlights our commitment to reading across and beyond the curriculum," she said.

"All these new books on this wonderful new furniture – it has transformed our library."

The competition asked schools to respond creatively to the question: Where does your reading take you?

Pupils throughout the school wrote hundreds of postcards about reading to their friends and family as well as to their favourite writers and to fictional characters. The cards were then published collectively in a book.

Cllr Miranda Williams, cabinet member for children's services, said: "Congratulations to all the pupils at Eltham Hill. I'm sure the new-look library will inspire everyone to get in there and get reading."

The new library facilities were unveiled at a ceremony attended by the mayor, Cllr Norman Adams, on World Book Day.

The award was set up last year by bestselling author James Patterson using his own money. He headed this year's panel of judges, which included Children's Laureate Chris Riddell.

Mr Patterson said: "Reading is a vital life skill and it is important we encourage a love of reading in kids from a young age. This award changes lives – it's as simple as that."



PICTURE POSTCARDS: pupils work on their postcard project, inset, a close up of cards they would send to writer Jacqueline Wilson and Roald Dahl

Shakespeare stage stars



YOUNG AUDIENCE: students enjoy a scene from Twelfth Night

HUNDREDS of school students from the borough have been enjoying a taste of Shakespeare in the playwright's 400th anniversary year.

Thanks to the Globe Education project, 700 pupils from seven Greenwich secondary schools received free tickets to see performances of Twelfth Night at Shakespeare's Globe theatre in Southwark.

Pupils from St Thomas More Catholic Comprehensive, Greenwich Free School, St Paul's Academy, Woolwich Polytechnic School, Plumstead Manor School, Eltham Hill School and Thomas Tallis School went to the performance.

The scheme, which is sponsored by Deutsche Bank, has given away more than 137,000 free tickets to state secondary pupils in London and Birmingham since it began ten years ago.

● Twelfth Night runs until this Saturday, March 19 when there will be a family performance at 2pm – tickets cost £5 to stand or £10-£15 seated. Visit www.playingshakespeare.org for details.

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ICT NETWORK MANAGER
Location: Greenwich, Salary: £27,924 - £35,662
Posted: 7th March 2016
Closing Date: Thursday 31st March 2016 at 12:00pm
Contract Type: Full Time, Contract Term: Permanent
Working Hours: 40 Hours

We are seeking to appoint a skilled and self-motivated School IT Network Manager to lead and be accountable for the overall development and effective running of all School ICT systems of the computer network and IT systems of our school.

Duties will include:

- Working with her/his line manager and the senior leadership team to develop and maintain high quality ICT networks and systems, which are regularly reviewed to ensure that the school's needs are met.
- All aspects of hardware and software including installation, operation, upgrades, repair and replacement.
- Securely maintaining information held on the school's database system/s including archive files and historical data.
- Providing technical advice, training and assistance in ICT related matters to staff and students.
- The line management of all ICT technicians and any other staff falling under her/his remit including their induction, training and appraisal.
- Ensuring that health and safety requirements and other relevant regulations are in place and adhered to.
- Supporting and encouraging the school's ethos and its objectives, policies and procedures.

If you feel you could be that person please apply in writing to:
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FACILITIES ASSISTANT

Location: Greenwich

Salary: £21,000 - £24,000
(Negotiable on experience)

Posted: 7th March 2016

Closing Date:
Thursday 31st March 2016
at 12:00pm

Contract Type: Full Time

Contract Term: Permanent

Working Hours:
7.00-16.00 and 9.30-18.30
Alternative weeks

We are currently looking for someone to work with our facilities team here at the UTC.

If you feel you could be that person please apply in writing to
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SETTLED AND HAPPY: Chris and Tina enjoy all aspects of family life

RESIDENTS with disabilities are able to enjoy a full family life thanks to Shared Lives – a unique royal borough initiative.

The scheme is an alternative to traditional residential care and helps individuals and families to provide accommodation and support for people who need some help to live the lives they choose.

The scheme recruits, trains and supports carers who in turn support people who cannot live independently because of disabilities.

It means people who use the service can maintain a level of independence and develop skills in order to maximise their quality of their life.

From watching TV and playing word games, to gardening and drawing together Chris and Tina are enjoying all the benefits of family life living alongside their carer Sonny in his Plumstead home thanks to the Shared Lives initiative.

Sonny told GT: "Shared Lives means Chris and Tina can have a normal family experience. Chris has been here for over 20 years and Tina for 13 and both are very settled, relaxed and happy. My own family grew up with them and that has really helped – the whole point of Shared Lives is that it allows people to become fully integrated as a family."

He added: "As well as family life, we help them experience community life and go shopping or visit the cinema, and there is the opportunity to go on family holidays – we certainly keep ourselves busy."

Shaolin was seven-years-old when Sandra moved into her house to be cared for by her parents. Since then they have developed a strong bond - so when Shoalin's parents retired 31 years later she took on the role of full-time carer for Sandra.

Shaolin said: "Sandra has been with me so long that I see her as a family member. I did all the courses so I could be a carer. We are always together – we cook and she likes keeping up with the housework. We watch TV and go out to eat regularly. We also do lots of activities like bowling going to the library and we also go to the Greenwich Forum, where there are lots of activities to do."

● **For further information on Shared Lives, and to find out about become a carer, visit www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/sharedlives or call 0208 921 6120.**

THE royal borough is taking a lead in bringing health and social care services more closely together to ensure that residents get the most comprehensive care possible. This pioneering new approach is making services more responsive to local people, allowing them to lead more independent lives, while reducing hospital admissions and cutting costs.

The service, heralded by the government as one of 14 pioneer schemes across the country, is delivered by the council, Oxleas NHS Foundation Trust and the local voluntary sector – with Greenwich Clinical Commissioning Group and local GPs also playing a vital role. It sees council and NHS staff working in six teams under integrated management, sharing resources and offering a single point of access for service users.

The integrated teams are coordinated through a care navigation service, which links up the different services that a resident may need for their care. It is responsible for making sure that residents are getting all the support they need.

The teams are responsible for delivering a wide range of health and social care to local people and comprise of nurses, physiotherapists, occupational therapists, psychologists, social workers and care managers.

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FAMILY FRIEND: Sandra and Shaolin enjoy one of their favourite activities

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Cllr David Gardner, the royal borough's cabinet member for health and adult social care said: "The council is committed to providing vulnerable residents with the support they need while promoting choice and independence. With more people living to a greater age, it's important that we plan our services to meet the increasing need for social care.

"We are working more closely than ever with local health services and the voluntary sector, which helps to ensure that services are planned and delivered in the most effective and efficient way, while meeting the needs of vulnerable adults and their families."

The first port of call for help

A wide range of social care, health, wellbeing and advice services are listed on the Greenwich Community Directory. The online service is a single point of information and advice for residents who want to improve their own health, or who feel isolated or vulnerable. The directory lists council and NHS services alongside those provided by local voluntary organisations. It also links directly into the online NHS Choices service, allowing residents to find their nearest GP, dentist or pharmacy. Visit www.greenwichcommunitydirectory.org.uk



Creating new opportunities for all

THE Day Opportunities Service is run by the council in partnership with community and voluntary organisations. It is helping adults with learning and physical disabilities build relationships and improve their confidence and self-esteem through access to a range of activities.

Now a year on from its launch, the service consists of 12 projects, with three at one main hub in Eltham and others across the borough including one in Abbey Wood focusing on creative arts, and a communication project and performing arts hub, based in Charlton. Other projects offer activities including recycling, IT, cookery and home skills, health and wellbeing and horticulture.

Development of the project will see the construction of a similar service at Trinity Centre in Plumstead, where sports and therapy activities will be offered.





STAGE STARS: Greenwich mayor Cllr Norman Adams visits a theatre project for people with learning disabilities

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Class Teacher
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Greenacres is a small and friendly mainstream primary school that will be entering into a partnership with a group of schools from September 2016.

We are seeking to appoint a committed classroom practitioner to join our strong and enthusiastic team.

Candidates should have:
- High expectations of children's attainment and progress
- A good understanding of the needs of pupils with a range of abilities and from different backgrounds
- Excellent interpersonal and behaviour management skills
- Strong subject knowledge and the ability to adapt the curriculum in an exciting way

Visits to the school are warmly welcomed. If you are interested in the above post and would like further details and/or an application form please contact the school by email: scoward2.203@lgflmail.org

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS check is required for all successful applicants.

Closing date: 15th April 2016

ROYAL borough of GREENWICH

Theatre tribute for Aiden



POSTER PROMOTION: watch out for details of the fundraising performance

THE Bob Hope Theatre is hosting a charity concert in memory of a young boy who died from a rare form of cancer.

A Song for Aiden 2 on Saturday, March 26, is the second event at the theatre to raise money for the Aiden Goodwin Foundation, set up by his parents after he died.

Football mad Aiden was just 11 when he was diagnosed with an aggressive tumour on one of his kidneys and, despite almost two years of chemotherapy, the cancer spread and he died in November 2013.

His heart-broken parents Terry and Michelle set up the charity to raise money to buy a caravan where other families can have respite time together.

Terry said: "We are so proud of our amazing son, and felt as a family we wanted to continue Aiden's name in some way, as well as helping other families going through a similar trauma. "The goal of The Aiden Goodwin Foundation is to bring a little happiness to the children with cancer and their families who are going through this awful time. To be able to provide a time to be away together, to relax, enjoy, escape their daily routines, and to help create memories they will never forget."

● The first Song for Aiden concert at the Bob Hope Theatre in Wythfield Road, Eltham, raised almost £3,000 and the family is hoping to repeat, if not beat, this success next Saturday.

There will be two performances, at 2.30pm and 7.30pm, and tickets cost £12.50 for adults, £10 concessions. Call the box office on 020 8850 3701 and go to www.bobhopetheatre.co.uk



SCENE

THE Greenwich Book Festival is returning for a second year and will kickstart the popular Royal Greenwich Festivals programme.

It all begins with the book festival at the Old Royal Naval College in Greenwich on Friday and Saturday, May 27 & 28.

Jam–packed with events, the summer of festivals also kicks off with the Children's Theatre Festival (May 28) ahead of a season of music, dance, street theatre and outdoor events.

The two days of talks, discussion, workshops and children's events is back by popular demand, following the success of last year's inaugural book festival.

The brainchild of co-directors author and journalist Patricia Nicol, publisher Auriol Bishop, and University of Greenwich lecturer and author Alex Pheby, it is supported by the council and by the National Maritime Museum.

Cllr Denise Scott-McDonald, cabinet member for culture, creative industries and community wellbeing, said: "The Royal Borough of Greenwich is very glad to be supporting the Greenwich Book Festival for its second year.

"The festival offers a wide array of activities for people of all ages and within the wonderful and historic Royal Naval College."

Authors already lined up to speak at the festival include Samuel Johnson prize winner Kate Summerscale, food historian Bee Wilson, performance poet Hollie McNish, the 'Brixton bard' Alex Wheatle, and comic novelist Lisa

To enter a listing email greenwichtime@outlook.com or call 020 8921 5916
Details of more events at www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/whatson

SHOOTERS HILL
Spring equinox walk round Woodlands Farm,331 Shooters Hill, on Sunday, March 20 from 10am-12noon. Free, donations welcome. Suitable footwear and clothing advised.

BLACKHEATH
Four of the best comedians on the circuit – Ed Gamble, Howard Read, George Egg and Paul McMullan – start a new season of Mycenae Comedy this Friday, March 18 from 8pm at Mycenae House, 90 Mycenae Road. Tickets £10 from www.ticketsource.co.uk/mycenaehouse

ELTHAM
In The Wings Productions perform Fame the Musical at the Bob Hope Theatre on Saturday (2.30pm & 7.30pm) and Sunday (1pm & 5pm), March 19 & 20. Tickets £13.50, £12 concs online at www.bobhopetheatre.co.uk or call the box office in Wythfield Road on 020 8850 3702.

Second chapter for book bonanza

ROYAL GREENWICH FESTIVALS



FESTIVAL FOUNDERS: Patricia Nicol, Alex Pheby and Auriol Bishop display some of the books to be discussed this May at the Old Royal Naval College; inset, youngsters enjoy book-themed activities at last year's event

Laraine Clay learns about plans to kickstart this year's Royal Greenwich Festivals

Owens. Children's authors and illustrators such as Mr Gum creator Andy Stanton, Swapna Haddow and Clara Vulliamy will entertain at the children's festival where there will also be workshops and a chance to meet book characters Kipper the Dog and Hugless Douglas.

Friday is Schools Day when primary age pupils will be able to discover how books are made, have a go at story-telling and meet children's authors such as Steve Antony, Jennifer Gray and Sita Brahmachari. The day will also feature library-run activities and author visits.

Patricia Nicol said: "South east London is a vibrant, multicultural place that draws people from all over the world. We've strived to reflect that energy and diversity in our programming for children and adults and hope we've succeeded."

Full details of events, times and venues will be released nearer the time.

Peep into the life of Pepys



COLOURFUL CHARACTER: one portrait of the famous diarist

THERE are only a couple more weeks to catch a major exhibition focussing on the life and times of the colourful 17th century diarist Samuel Pepys.

The show at the National Maritime Museum in Greenwich, which has been open since November, includes a host of themed events and displays of more than 200 paintings and objects from collections around the UK and beyond.

Its title - Samuel Pepys: Plague, Fire, Revolution – was an indication of the tumultuous times in Stuart London through which he lived, including the plague and the Great Fire, the Restoration and the second Anglo-Dutch War.

Before it closes Trinity Laban Contemporary Music Group will perform the Deptford Diaries, new compositions written in response to the Pepys exhibition

The concert is on Friday, March 18 at the museum's Sammy Ofer wing foyer from 7.30pm. Admission is free but booking is advisable. The exhibition closes on Easter Monday, March 28 and tickets cost £12, £10 concessions and £6 for children. For more details visit www.rmg.co.uk or call 020 8312 6565.

WHAT'S ON

GREENWICH
Beats in the Bar with guest artists alongside Trinity Laban jazz students at Oliver's Jazz Bar, Spread Eagle Yard, 9 Nevada Street this Thursday, March 17 from 7.30-9pm. Free. www.trinitylaban.ac.uk/whats-on

BLACKHEATH
Peter Asprey will conduct a choir of 150 singers accompanied by the Blackheath Halls Orchestra in a performance of Haydn's oratorio, The Creation, at the Halls in Lee Road on Sunday, March 20 at 7pm. Tickets cost £16, £14 concs, £5 for under-12s. Call the box office on 020 8463 0100 or visit www.blackheathhalls.com

THAMESMEAD
Talent show organised by Thamesmead Youth Voice on Saturday, March 19 from 6.30-8.30pm at The Link Thamesmead, Bazalgette Way to raise money for Sports Relief. Tickets £3, children £1 – call The Link on 020 8320 4499.

GREENWICH
Live music, comedy, poetry, face painting, arts & crafts, games and food at South Street Baptist Church, 66-68 Greenwich South Street on Saturday, March 19, 1-6.30pm. Tickets £8, children £5, in aid of the church's building project. Visit www.ticketsource.co.uk/southstreetbaptistchurch

WOOLWICH
Museum Makes drop-in art club every Saturday, 10.30am-12noon, until March 26 for children and families. Greenwich Heritage Centre, Artillery Square, Royal Arsenal. Admission free – details at www.greenwichheritage.org

GREENWICH
Pond dipping, garden pond workshops and other free activities for Frog Day at Greenwich Ecology Park off John Harrison Way on Sunday, March 20, 11am-3pm. The Friends of the park will also be holding a barbeque, gift and secondhand book stalls, and a raffle. More details at www.greenwichecologypark.com or call 020 8293 1904.



BRASS musicians are invited to join a band which gives mostly lunch-time concerts.
The Royal Greenwich Brass Band, formerly the Trinity College of Music Brass Band, has moved from its previous base at the Old Royal Naval College to Charlton House, and is now sponsored by the Charlton House Concert Society.
The band is holding an open rehearsal on Monday, March 21 at 7pm in Charlton House, Charlton Road and is inviting advanced players.
"Our members are mostly post or present conservatoire standard," conductor Stephen Maw said.
"If you enjoy banding but can't commit a huge amount of time and are free for some lunchtimes during the year this may be the band for you."
Lunchtime concerts are held at Charlton House and at the Salvation Army's Regent Hall in Oxford Street on Fridays, and Mr Maw hopes the band will soon be able to play again at St Alfege Church in Greenwich. He is planning band rehearsals for the second and fourth Monday evenings of each month.
Anyone interested in joining the band can email stephenmaw@aol.com or call him on 07973 173583.

Royal Borough of Greenwich
Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)
Town & Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) Order 2015
Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)
Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990 (AS AMENDED)
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Notice is hereby given that application(s) have been made to The Royal Borough of Greenwich in respect of the under mentioned premises/sites. You can see the submissions and any plans during the hours of 9.00am to 5.30pm Monday to Friday and 9.00am to 5.00pm on Saturday at: -

Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, SE18 6QT

Also at http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning or at the Library shown between normal opening hours.
If development proposals affect Conservation Areas and/or Statutorily Listed Buildings under the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Area) Act 1990 (As Amended) this will be shown within the item below.
Anyone who wishes to comment on these applications should be made in writing to Development Planning within 21 days of the date of this notice.
Please quote the appropriate reference number.

Date: 15/03/2016
Mike Howe - Chief Planning Officer

Publicity For Planning Applications

Applicant: **The Hyde Group** — **15/3691/F**
115 GRANBY ROAD, ELTHAM, LONDON, SE9 1EJ
Development: Replacement of existing door with new door.
Library: Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1HA
Conservation Area: PROGRESS ESTATE

Applicant: **Royal Borough of Greenwich Parks and Open Spaces** — **16/0391/F**
WELL HALL PLEASAUNCE, WELL HALL ROAD, ELTHAM, SE9
Development: Installation of a borehole and associated equipment to provide grey water for watering of the bowling green and planting beds, water to top up the existing moat and UV treated drinking quality water to the Tudor Barn.
Library: Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1HA
Conservation Area: WELL HALL PLEASAUNCE

Applicant: **Mr St-Clair RBMS** — **16/0399/F**
MINERVA LODGE, 25-30 SWEYN PLACE, BLACKHEATH, SE3
Development: Installation of replacement upvc windows and doors.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH PARK

Applicant: **Mr A. Grahame** — **16/0416/F**
34 MEREWORTH DRIVE, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON, SE18 3EE
Development: Replacement of existing roof covering.
Library: Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, Woolwich, SE18 6QT
Conservation Area: SHREWSBURY PARK ESTATE

Applicant: **Mr A. Turner** — **16/0427/F**
40 HUMBER ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7LT
Development: Construction of a single storey rear extension.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: WESTCOMBE PARK

Applicant: **Mr L. Farrell & Mr J Gallager** — **16/0438/F**
17 RANDALL PLACE, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 9LA
Development: Construction of a single storey rear infill extension.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

Applicant: **Miss B Cottrell** — **16/0457/F**
54 POINT HILL, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8QL
Development: Installation of new conservation roof lights to the rear roof slope. Replacement of existing single glazed box sash windows with new double-glazed painted timber sash windows. Enlargement of existing window opening and installation of new sliding sash window to replace casement type.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

Applicant: **Mr D Baker Premises Manager** — **16/0458/F**
ST ALFEGE AND ST PETERS PRIMARY SCHOOL, CREEK ROAD, DEPTFORD, LONDON, SE10 9RB
Development: Construction of an infill extension to the existing kitchen.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

Applicant: **Mr M. Smith** — **16/0460/F**
29 KIDBROOKE GARDENS, KIDBROOKE, LONDON, SE3 0PD
Development: Construction of a single storey front extension.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH

Applicant: **Ms Jan Clark Notemachine UK Ltd** — **16/0465/F**
TICKET OFFICE, GREENWICH RAILWAY STATION, GREENWICH HIGH ROAD, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8JA
Development: Installation of an ATM installed in a new purpose built steel secure room with steel floor plate in place of the photo booth.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

Applicant: **Mr R. Elder** — **16/0469/F**
117B WESTCOMBE HILL, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 7DX
Development: Construction of first floor rear extension on the back addition.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT

Applicant: **Deed (UK) Ltd** — **16/0482/F**
77a-79 BLACKHEATH ROAD, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8PD
Development: Construction of a 2-storey side extension and installation of four Juliet balconies to the rear elevation and four French doors to the basement front and rear elevations (Resubmission).
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: ASHBURNHAM TRIANGLE

Applicant: **Mr P O'Sullivan St Mary's Community Centre** — **16/0490/F**
ST MARY'S COMMUNITY CENTRE, 180 ELTHAM HIGH STREET, ELTHAM, SE9 1BJ
Development: Installation of replacement slimline double glazed windows, repairs to cracked external render and redecoration of external walls and doors.
Library: Eltham Library, Eltham High Street SE9 2NA

Applicant: **Ms A Copeland** — **16/0495/F**
45 DINSDALE ROAD, BLACKHEATH, SE3 7RJ
Development: Construction of a lower ground floor single storey rear extension including steps from ground floor to rear garden.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: WESTCOMBE PARK

Applicant: **Miss H Cornell National Maritime Museum** — **16/0497/F**
NATIONAL MARITIME MUSEUM, ROYAL MUSEUMS GREENWICH, PARK ROW, GREENWICH, SE10 9NF
Development: Conversion of existing temporary offices on the first and second floors to exhibition spaces; New bridge link from the podiums in Neptune Court to the first floor of the West Central Wing; New air intake and extract louvers; Removal of ceiling at first floor level (a non-original feature) and replacement with new integrated structural and services floor.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: GREENWICH PARK

Applicant: **Mr E. Hurst** — **16/0636/F**
LAND BETWEEN 42 & 48 BURNEY STREET, GREENWICH, SE10
Development: Demolition of garden wall and construction of a single storey house fronting Burney Street (Resubmission).
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH

Applicant: **Damian Hosker WHP Wilkinson Helsby** — **16/0690/T3**
REAR OF 152 WESTMOUNT ROAD, ELTHAM, LONDON, SE9 1XA
Development: Removal of existing 14.7m telecommunications streetpole and installation of replacement 15m Jupiter 5 range dual stack coloring on a new root foundation and ancillary development.
Library: Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1HA

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Applicant: **Miss L Smirnova Greennow Ltd** — **16/0274/L**
33 SHOOTERS HILL ROAD, BLACKHEATH, SE3 7AS
Development: Carrying out of repair works to allow for decorating.
Library: Blackheath Library, Old Dover Road, Blackheath, SE3 7BT
Conservation Area: BLACKHEATH
Listed Building: Grade 2

Applicant: **The Royal Parks** — **16/0347/L**
GREENWICH PARK BOUNDARY WALL, GREENWICH PARK, GREENWICH, SE10
Development: Essential brickwork repairs comprising removal of vegetation growth and replacement of bricks and repointing of defective areas.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: GREENWICH PARK
Listed Building: Grade 2

Applicant: **Royal Borough of Greenwich Parks & Open Spaces** — **16/0392/L**
WELL HALL PLEASAUNCE, WELL HALL ROAD, ELTHAM, SE9
Development: Installation of a borehole and associated equipment to provide grey water for watering of the bowling green and planting beds, water to top up the existing moat and UV treated drinking quality water to the Tudor Barn.
Library: Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1HA
Conservation Area: WELL HALL PLEASAUNCE
Listed Building: Grade 2*

Applicant: **Bradford Property Trust (Ltd)** — **16/0454/L**
91 BLACKHEATH HILL, GREENWICH, SE10
Development: Installation of gas central heating.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH
Listed Building: Grade 2

Applicant: **Mr Baker Premises Manager** — **16/0459/L**
ST ALFEGE AND ST PETERS PRIMARY SCHOOL, CREEK ROAD, DEPTFORD, LONDON, SE10 9RB
Development: Construction of an infill extension to the existing kitchen.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH
Listed Building: Grade 2

Applicant: **Ms Clark Notemachine UK Ltd** — **16/0466/L**
TICKET OFFICE, GREENWICH RAILWAY STATION, GREENWICH HIGH ROAD, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8JA
Development: Installation of an ATM installed in a new purpose built steel secure room with steel floor plate in place of the photo booth, ATM fascia with black bezel surround and white illuminated lettering Free Cash Withdrawals out of black background. Blue LED halo illumination to ATM surround.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH
Listed Building: Grade 2

Applicant: **Mr P O'Sullivan St Mary's Community Centre** — **16/0491/L**
ST MARY'S COMMUNITY CENTRE, 180 ELTHAM HIGH STREET, ELTHAM, SE9 1BJ
Development: Installation of replacement slimline double glazed windows, repairs to cracked external render and redecoration of external walls and doors.
Library: Eltham Library, Eltham High Street SE9 2NA
Listed Building: Grade 2

Applicant: **Miss H Cornell National Maritime Museum** — **16/0498/L**
NATIONAL MARITIME MUSEUM, ROYAL MUSEUMS GREENWICH, PARK ROW, GREENWICH, SE10 9NF
Development: Conversion of existing temporary offices on the first and second floors to exhibition spaces; New bridge link from the podiums in Neptune Court to the first floor of the West Central Wing; New air intake and extract louvers; Removal of ceiling at first floor level (a non-original feature) and replacement with new integrated structural and services floor.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: GREENWICH PARK
Listed Building: Grade 1

Applicant: **Mr E. Hurst** — **16/0637/L**
LAND BETWEEN 42 & 48 BURNEY STREET, GREENWICH, SE10
Development: Demolition of garden wall and construction of a single storey house fronting Burney Street (Resubmission).
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
Conservation Area: WEST GREENWICH
Listed Building: Grade 2*

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Applicant: **Ms Jan Clark Notemachine UK Ltd** — **16/0467/A**
TICKET OFFICE, GREENWICH RAILWAY STATION, GREENWICH HIGH ROAD, GREENWICH, LONDON, SE10 8JA
Development: Installation of ATM fascia with black bezel surround and white illuminated lettering Free Cash Withdrawals out of black background. Blue LED halo illumination to ATM surround.
Library: West Greenwich Library, Greenwich High Road SE10 8NN
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Edition 485

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First Band A, followed by Band B1/B2 both in priority date order. Those in Band C will then be considered in registration date order.

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BAND

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C is for all applicants on the housing register, including those that are in priority bands A and B1/B2.

How do I apply?

1 **Get on the list**
First, you've got to be on the housing waiting list to join the scheme. If you're not, register an application on line at **www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk**

2 **Find your applicant number**
It will be on the letter you've already had from the Royal Borough of Greenwich about the new scheme. You'll need that number and the reference number of the property you're after, which will be on the advert.

3 **Pick out your ideal property**
by looking in *Greenwich Time* or regularly checking the website: **www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes**
Click on your preference on the website. If you don't have a computer, you can always use one for free at either The Eltham or Woolwich Centre or a local library.

4 **Apply in one of three ways**
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- Phone the 24-hour hotline 020 8921 4340. It's an automatic push-button system and calls will be charged at the normal local rate, or
- Via the Royal Borough of Greenwich's website **www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes**

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Sandham Point Armstrong Pl SE18
2 Bed 5th Flr Flat Lifted Entry phn Rad C/H
£94.18 pw



Gallions HA

Ref Number: 211442
Booth Close SE28
3 Bed 2nd Flr Mais Unlifted Entry phn Rad C/H No Pets No Pkg
£119.13 pw

A number of properties advertised this week will not be ready for viewing immediately. Successful applicants will be invited to view once the property is ready to let.



Ref Number: 211463
Granite St SE18
Bedsit Grnd Flr Flat Entry phn Rad C/H No Pkg
£85.36 pw



Ref Number: 211469
Robert St SE18
2 Bed 3rd Flr Flat Lifted Entry phn Rad C/H No Pkg
£94.38 pw



Ref Number: 211470
Coltness Cres SE2
1 Bed 3rd Flr Flat Unlifted Entry phn Combi Boiler & 1 Rad & Gas Fire No Pkg
£87.69 pw



Ref Number: 211482
Commonwealth Way SE2
2 Bed Grnd Flr Flat Entry phn Rad C/H
£98.29 pw

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ROYAL BOROUGH TENANTS WHO ARE MOVING

DON'T GET A BILL AFTER YOU LEAVE

Under the conditions of your tenancy agreement, you have a responsibility to leave your property in an acceptable state of repair. We may visit you to check this. If we consider your property is in an unacceptable condition, you may be prevented from moving or be recharged for work.

To avoid getting an unwelcome bill, follow these rules:

- Repair any damage caused to the property by you, your family or visitors to your home.
- Make good any changes you have made to your property e.g. put back any doors that you have removed.
- Make sure your garden is not overgrown and you have cleared all garden waste.
- Clear all your items from the inside and the outside of the property. This includes any loft space, external cupboards or sheds.
- Return all the keys to the Royal Borough's offices no later than midday on Monday (or Tuesday if it is a Bank Holiday). You will be charged a further week's rent if you do not return your keys on time.

If you leave repairs that are your responsibility, or items that require disposal you will be charged the cost of this work.

Special Collection Service

The Royal Borough offers a Special Collection Service for tenants who are moving and want to dispose of something big and bulky, like a sofa or a fridge, and even unwanted clothes and other textiles.

Simply contact Waste Services on **020 8921 4661** and tell them where you live and what you would like taken away.

Items we will collect include:

Fridges, freezers, washing machines, beds, sofas, clothes and carpets (carpets must be cut up and tied into manageable bundles that one person can carry).

Items we DO NOT collect include:

Fitted kitchens, bathroom suites, boilers,sheds, fences and rubble.

For further information, please contact Waste Services on

020 8921 4661.

Please leave your home in a good condition!

Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

GreenwichHomes

Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

Anyone on the housing list can apply for these



Ref Number: 211491
Mabbett Hse SE18
Nightingale Place
1 Bed 4th Flr Flat Lifted Entry phn Rad C/H No Pkg **£103.06 incl Htg £14.94 pw**

Important Notice

Please note the closing date to register your bids for advertised properties will be **every Sunday at midnight.**



Ref Number: 211528
The Underwood SE9
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat Unlifted RadC/H
£100.26 pw

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Ref Number: 211531
Rowley Hse
Watergate St SE8
2 Bed 4th Flr Flat Lifted Rad C/H
£114.48 pw



Ref Number: 211532
Jennings Hse SE10
Old Woolwich Rd
2 Bed 2nd Flr Flat Unlifted Rad C/H
£137.99 pw incl Htg £18.18 pw



Ref Number: 211535
Hasted Rd SE7
3 Bed Hse Gdn Rad C/H
£126.52 pw



Ref Number: 211536
Lamport Cl SE18
3 Bed 1st Flr Flat Unlifted Entry phn Rad C/H No Pkg
£114.14 pw



Ref Number: 211542
Kashmir Rd SE7
3 Bed Hse Gdn Rad C/H
£135.51 pw



Ref Number: 82237
Downe Hse SE7
Springfield Grove
2 Bed Grnd Flr Flat Entry phn Rad C/H No Pets No Pkg
£120.84 pw



You can only register on line for free

Applicants over 50+ can apply



Ref Number: 211484
James Newman Ct
Great Harry Dr SE9
Bedsit Grnd Flr Flat Entry phn Rad C/H No Pkg
£89.55 pw



Ref Number: 145865
Cherry Tree Ct
Fairlawn SE7
3 Bed 4th Flr Flat Unlifted Entry phn Rad C/H No Pets No Pkg
£124.65 pw



Ref Number: 211552
Valiant Hse
Valley Gr SE7
1 Bed 13th Flr Flat Lifted Entry phn Rad C/H No Pets No Pkg
£121.34 pw

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property listings continue overleaf

Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

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Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

HOW TO BID FOR ADVERTISED PROPERTIES BY TEXT

If you would like to bid by text, please use the following Text Bidding Number: **0778 620 7913** and type:

CBL, the **property reference number** and your **applicant number.**

The property reference will be on the advert and your applicant number is on the letter we sent to you when you registered for housing.

A successful bid will look like this:
CBL 179104 12191

You will need to do a separate text for each property you wish to bid for and the text is charged at your mobile provider's standard rate. You will receive a text response to confirm your bid within 5 minutes.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please note you must tell us as soon as possible if there is any change in the information you have given on your form. If you do not do so, your application will be invalid.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Heating Charge for RBG properties

Please note rent for Council properties may include a heating charge which is NOT covered by Housing Benefit.

GreenwichHomes adverts

Greenwich Time is now being published 50 weeks a year and is delivered to all residents. Greenwich**Home** adverts are included in every issue.

For information or assistance
Contact our Allocations Team on: **020 8921 2941** or email:
housing-allocations@royalgreenwich.gov.uk

This is what happened to the homes advertised in issue 482

Address	Bed-rooms	Property Type	No of Bids	Reg date of successful app	Band
Keynes Court Attlee Road SE28 8DL	1	FLAT	296	11/01/2016	B1
Wellington Gardens SE7 7PH	1	FLAT	372	07/01/2016	B1
Gilbert Close SE18 4PT	2	FLAT	410	18/02/1991	A
Glenlea Road SE9 1DZ	3	PARLOUR HSE	723	11/08/2013	B1
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	370	05/10/2011	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	312	26/04/2012	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	244	21/01/2013	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	250	01/08/2013	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	223	04/04/2014	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	240	22/01/2014	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	1	FLAT	247	03/09/2013	C
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	2	FLAT	352	Not Ready	
Mabel Polley House Kempt Street SE18 4BU	2	FLAT	266	Not Ready	
Baldrey House Blackwall Lane SE10 0EY	2	FLAT	472	Not Ready	
Galena House Grosmont Road SE18 1LH	1	FLAT	409	Not Ready	
Southend Close SE9 2SE	1	BUNGALOW	355	Not Ready	
Marble House Felspar Close SE18 1LN	2	FLAT	199	Not Ready	
Gavestone Road SE12 9BL	2	FLAT	295	01/06/2015	B1
Aylmer House Eastney Street SE10 9NU	1	FLAT	547	Not ready	
Galsworthy Close SE28 8DB	1	FLAT	318	26/05/2011	C
Sowerby Close SE9 6HA	1	FLAT	465	Not Ready	
Ravens Way SE12 8HB	1	FLAT	517	Not Ready	
Passfield House Plumstead Road SE18 7DX	1	FLAT	470	31/08/2011	C
Mineral Street SE18 1QR	1	FLAT	498	Not Ready	
Claymill House Raglan Road SE18 7HX	1	FLAT	359	Not Ready	
The Oaks SE18 7JS	2	FLAT	220	Not Ready	
Bexley Road SE9 2PJ	3	MAISONETTE	363	Not Ready	
Combe Avenue SE3 7PZ	3	HOUSE	642	23/10/2015	B1
Thornham Street SE10 9SD	3	MAISONETTE	318	Not Ready	
Bert Reilly House Bramblebury Road SE18 7TB	1	FLAT	515	16/07/2015	B1
Pynham Close SE2 9QN	1	FLAT	403	Not Ready	
Middle Park Avenue SE9 5QS	1	FLAT	407	Not Ready	
John Wilson Street SE18 6QQ	2	MAISONETTE	414	Not Ready	
Biddulph House Rideout Street SE18 5EU	2	FLAT	405	05/08/2015	B1
Flat A Charlton Church Lane SE7 7AB	1	FLAT	566	05/10/2015	B1
Alnwick Road SE12 9BX	3	HOUSE	649	Not Ready	

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) TEMPORARY WAITING RESTRICTIONS - NELSON MANDELA ROAD

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich has made an Order to accommodate demolition and construction works. The effect of the Order will be to temporarily prevent vehicles from waiting (excluding for the purpose of loading or unloading) in **Nelson Mandela Road**, at the junction of the north-east to south-west arm and north-west to south-east arm, as follows:
 (a) the south-west to north-east arm, both side, extending for approximately 10 metres from the adjoining kerb-lines of the north-west to south-east arm; and
 (b) the north-west to south-east arm, both sides, extending to approximately 50 metres south-east of the north-western kerb-line of the south-west to north-west arm.
2. The above restrictions will only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. The Order will come into force on 1st April 2016 and will continue in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner, however the works are expected to take twelve days to complete.
4. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 5869.

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To advertise in GT call Nicola on 020 8921 5572

ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES FOR RESURFACING WORKS VARIOUS ROADS – WOOLWICH AREA

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order to accommodate carriageway works. The effect of the Order would be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, exiting, proceeding or waiting (excluding waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in **Brewery Road** (between Lakedale Road and Eaton Road), **Church Manor Way** (between Finchdale Road and Sewell Road), **Erindale** (between Maconnis Road and Chelsworth Drive), **Flaxton Road** (between Timberscroft Lane and Raymere Gardens), **Harrow Manor Way** (between Sewell Road and Ampleforth Road), **Lakedale Road** (between Tovson Road and Brewery Road), **Plumstead Common Road**, **Repository Road**, **Sewell Road** (between Church Manor Way and Greenbury Road), **Waterdale Road** and **Woolwich New Road** (between Grand Depot Road and Connaught Mews).
2. The above restrictions would only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. Whilst the closures are in operation, vehicular access to properties affected by those works would be maintained wherever possible subject to the extent and operations of the works and alternative routes for diverted vehicles would be available via local roads.
4. The Order would come into force on 1st April 2016 and would continue in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. However, it is expected that the works would take twelve months to complete. The works would be conducted on a "rolling" programme and, as such, not all the restrictions stated in paragraph 1 would be in force in all the affected roads at any one time.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 2773.

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WINGFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL MOOREHEAD WAY, KIDBROOKE, SE3 9XU

TEACHING ASSISTANT/ MIDDAY MEALS SUPERVISOR

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Our successful candidate will be DBS / Health checked and references requested before appointment.

To receive an application pack, please send an email to:
sao1@wingfield.greenwich.sch.uk
or call into the school office to collect a pack.

Closing date:
Friday 18th March 2016
Interview date:
Week commencing
Monday 21st March 2016

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ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) TEMPORARY ROAD FOOTPATH/CYCLE TRACK CLOSURE – RIVERSIDE PATH, BANNING STREET

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order to facilitate river defence works on or adjacent Riverside Path, Banning Street (sometimes referred to as Thames Path or Olympian Way). The effect of the Order would be to temporarily prohibit pedestrians and cyclists from entering or proceeding on that part of the footpath/cycle track that extends between the northern boundary of No. 95 Christchurch Way and a point 130 metres south of that boundary.
2. The above prohibition would only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. Whilst the prohibitions specified in paragraph 1 to this Notice are in operation pedestrian and cycle traffic would be diverted via Tunnel Approach, Tunnel Avenue, Blackwall Lane, Maritime Road, Christchurch Way, Banning Street and Peartree Road and vice versa.
4. The Order would come into force on 22nd March 2016 and would continue in force for up to 6 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to Greenwich Council's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 5869.

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ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES FOR RESURFACING WORKS VARIOUS ROADS – GREENWICH AREA

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order to accommodate carriageway works. The effect of the Order would be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, exiting, proceeding or waiting (including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in **Shooters Hill Slip Road (road fronting Nos. 2 to 22 Shooters Hill Road)** (between Prince of Wales Road and Shooters Hill Road), **Straightsmouth**, **Westbrook Road** (between Kidbrooke Park Road and Kidbrooke Grove), **Westcombe Hill** (between Humber Road and Gilbert Road) and **Woolacombe Road**, between Burnley Road and Broad Walk.
2. The above restrictions would only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. Whilst the closures are in operation, vehicular access to properties affected by those works would be maintained wherever possible subject to the extent and operations of the works and alternative routes for diverted vehicles would be available via local roads.
4. The Order would come into force on 1st April 2016 and would continue in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. However, it is expected that the works would take twelve months to complete. The works would be conducted on a "rolling" programme and, as such, not all the restrictions stated in paragraph 1 would be in force in all the affected roads at any one time.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 2773.

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ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES FOR RESURFACING WORKS VARIOUS ROADS – ELTHAM AREA

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich intends to make an Order to accommodate carriageway works. The effect of the Order would be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, exiting, proceeding or waiting (including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading) in **Appleton Road** (from Rochester Way to Wendover Road), **Beaverbank Road** (from Keightley Drive to Oakley Drive), **Keightley Drive**, **Oakley Drive** and **Meadowside**.
2. The above restrictions would only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. Whilst the closures are in operation, vehicular access to properties affected by these works would be maintained wherever possible subject to the extent and operations of the works and alternative routes for diverted vehicles would be available via local roads.
4. The Order would come into force on 1st April 2016 and would continue in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. However, it is expected that the works would take twelve months to complete. The works would be conducted on a "rolling" programme and, as such, not all the restrictions stated in paragraph 1 would be in force in all the affected roads at any one time.
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The Greenwich (Waiting and Loading Restriction) (Amendment No. *) Order 201* The Greenwich (Free Parking Places) (No. 5) (Amendment No. *) Order 201* The Greenwich (Free Loading Places) (No. 1) (Amendment No. *) Order 201*

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.
2. The general effect of the Orders would be:
 (a) **in Charlton Lane**: (1) to remove 6.9 metres of free parking space outside No. 212 Charlton Lane and replace with double yellow line "at any time" waiting restrictions (see paragraph (f) below); and (2) to remove single yellow line waiting restrictions and provide 7.5 metres of free parking space outside No. 204 Charlton Lane;
 (b) in **Plumstead Road**: to move westward by 3.5 metres a loading bay situated east of Woolwich New Road;
 (c) in **Frances Street**: to provide a 10-metre loading bay on the west side of Frances Street outside the King's Arms public house;
 (d) to provide single yellow line waiting restrictions that would apply between 7am and 7pm on Mondays to Sundays inclusive in **Charlton Way** from 10 metres north-east of Blackwall Avenue to 61.5 metres south-west of Maze Hill;
 (f) to provide single yellow line waiting and loading restrictions (loading restrictions indicated on the road by "single yellow kerb blips") that would apply between 7am and 10am and between 4pm and 7pm on Mondays to Fridays inclusive in the lengths of street specified to in Schedule 1 to this Notice; and
 (g) to provide double yellow line "at any time" waiting restrictions in the lengths of street specified to in Schedule 2 to this Notice.

 (**Note**: The loading restrictions referred to in paragraph (f) above would prohibited vehicles from waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading a vehicle during the times specified in that paragraph).
3. A copy of the proposed Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders are available for inspection during normal office hours until the end of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or, as the case may be, the Council decides not to make the Orders, at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ.
4. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Strategic Transportation on 020 8921 6288.
5. Any person who wishes to object to or make other representations about the proposed Orders should send a statement in writing by 5th April 2016, specifying the grounds on which any objection is made, to Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1P 2NR (quoting reference PCL/TMO/CC/100003266).
6. Persons objecting to the proposed Orders should be aware that in view of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, this Council would be legally obliged to make any comments received in response to this notice, open to public inspection.

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Schedule 1

7am and 10am and between 4pm and 7pm on Mondays to Fridays waiting and loading restrictions

Frances Street: (1) north-east side, from Artillery Place to a point 4.2 metres south-east of the common boundary of 13/15 Frances Street; and (2) south-west side, from 4.2 metres south-east of the common boundary of 13/15 Frances Street to 17.2 metres north of Hillreach; **Hillreach**: both sides, from Frances Street to the common boundary of 8/9 Hillreach; **Little Heath**: (1) north-west side, from the common boundary of 33/35 Little Heath to the common boundary of 43/45 Little Heath; and (2) south-east side, from the common boundary of 70/72 Little Heath to the common boundary of 86/88 Little Heath; and **Waverley Crescent**: both sides, from 3.5 metres north of the common boundary of 46/48 Waverley Crescent to 10 metres north of Heavitree Road (except where disabled persons parking places are provided).

Schedule 2 – 'At any time' waiting restrictions

Artillery Place: south-east side, for 10 metres, approximately 30 metres north-east of Bethnal Grove; **Charlton Lane**: west side, from 1.5 metres north of the common boundary of 206/208 Charlton Lane to 25.5 metres south of the common boundary of 210/212 Charlton Lane; **Charlton Road**: north side, from 7.5 metres east of Hopedale Road to 11 metres west of Shrewton Road; **Glenmount Path**: (1) west side, for 10 metres south of Raglan Road; and (2) east side, for 8.2 metres south of Raglan Road; **Griffin Road**: from its junction with Waverley Crescent to a point 15 metres south-west of common boundary of 174/176 Griffin Road; **Heavitree Road**: both sides, for 10 metres either side of Waverley Crescent; **Little Heath**: south-east side, for 10.1 metres opposite 37 and 39 Little Heath; **Raglan Road**: south side, from a point 1.2 metres east of the common boundary of 42/44 Raglan Road to 68 metres east of Glenmount Path; **The Village**: east side of the triangular island site situated at its junction with Charlton Church Lane; **Vanbrugh Park**: north side, from 10 metres west of Broadbridge Close to 0.5 metres west of the common boundary of 42/43 Vanbrugh Park; and **Waverley Crescent**: from 10 metres north of Heavitree Road to the common boundary of 53/55 Waverley Crescent.

SPORT

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Flex and stretch

OVER-50s who live on the Charlton Triangle estate are able to get more physically active at one-hour sessions run twice a week in the Mascalls meeting rooms in Victoria Way.

The 50-plus classes cost £2 per session, and there is no need to book. They are held on Mondays at 9.45am and Wednesdays at 12 noon. The classes not only help improve health and wellbeing, they also provide a meeting point for people who live alone.

Former royal borough mayor Janet Gilman, 74, said: "I only started coming along in December, however I already feel the benefit of attending. I feel invigorated. It has already given me more energy to enjoy my day that little bit more." And Patricia Thatcher, 80, said: "It's great to come along and get fit with my friends. At a recent party the people who were up dancing were the ones who came to the keep fit class. This really struck us, and shows all the benefits of keeping fit no matter what age you are."

Fitness instructor Alice Scott said: "I have noticed a great improvement in their fitness levels and strength, and that improves the way in which they move and deal with day to day tasks. They are a brilliant and hard-working."

● **Visit charltontriangle.org.uk/get-involved or call 020 8319 8870.**



BAND TOGETHER: exercisers flex their muscles and inset, pose for a group photo

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SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL: the Greenwich Get Active service makes it easy for residents to keep on the move





might need.

In Royal Greenwich there is already lots of help and advice on offer from the local Active for Health initiative. The free community-based, physical activity programme offers activities from Tai Chi and line dancing to chair based exercises. Whatever people's ability and mobility, Active for Health has something that will get you moving this year - and it is absolutely free.

Now's the Time is another council-backed health and activity project offering a range of free and low-cost opportunities for people in Thamesmead to take part in sport and physical activity. Visit www.nttthamesmead.co.uk

Cllr David Gardner, the council's cabinet member for health, social care and public health, said: "I would really encourage people to take advantage of the support, facilities and advice that are available in Greenwich. Being regularly active improves your physical health by making you fitter and stronger. It also makes your day-to-day life so much more enjoyable."

● **For more information and to try the One You quiz visit www.greenwichhealthyliving.nhs.uk or call 0800 587 5833.**

SPORT

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Time of your life



LOOK AFTER NUMBER ONE: the new campaign is aimed at people in their 40s and over



FIT is the new forty. And a new campaign has been launched to encourage people in their 40s to drink less, be more active, eat better and give up smoking.

The national campaign by Public Health England is called 'One You' and aims to help people make small changes in their lifestyle which could double their chances of being healthy at 70 and beyond.

The campaign's free online quiz, called 'How Are You', shows how small changes can improve health. It signposts people to local services which can give the support people

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POP-UP BIKE MARKET

Abbey Wood - outside the library on Eynsham Drive
Saturday 19th March 2016, 9:00am to 4:00pm

Buy or sell a bike on the day

Buyers
The bike markets provide a great opportunity to find a theft-free bike that has been checked by a qualified mechanic and undergone a full service before selling. Cash or Card accepted.

Sellers
Bring your unwanted bikes along with some photo ID to one of our markets a mechanic will check the bike over before it is put it up for sale.

It is completely free to sell your bike on the day. If your bike does not sell on the day, we can take it to the next pop-up market.

For more information visit:
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